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CHICAGO SCENE OF HORRIBLE ASYLUM BLAZE

JAPANESE CABINET RESIGNS FOLLOWING ATTEMPTED SLAYING

Prince Regent, Enroute
to Open Diet Sessions,
Is Assassin's Target;
Shots All Go Wild.

CHAOS NOW REIGNS

By DUKE N. PARRY

(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent.)
Tokio, Dec. 27.—The Japanese cabinet, following a prolonged session ended late today as a result of an attempt to assassinate Hironito, Prince Regent of Japan, as he was proceeding to the Diet chambers to convene the 48th Diet session.

The Prince Regent was uninjured by the assassin's bullet, which shattered the glass of the limousine, but Grand Chamberlain Irie, who was riding with him, was slightly injured.

Assassin Captured.

Daisuke Naniwa, 25, who fired at the Japanese ruler, was captured immediately after the attempted assassination, being saved by the police from the menacing crowd which closed in about him. His two companions, however, escaped.

The Prince Regent, after returning to Akasaka detached palace with his wounded chamberlain, proceeded to the Diet chambers and delivered his speech, appearing to be the calmest person in the assemblage.

All newspapers in Tokio carrying the story were suppressed.

The metropolitan chief of police assuming full responsibility, resigned immediately.

Motive Not Revealed.

The attempt upon the Prince Regent's life occurred at Toranomon train stop at 10:35 this morning. Rushing forward from a large crowd which had been pressed back by police on guard at that point, Naniwa pulled a revolver from beneath the coat he was wearing and fired point-blank at the Prince Regent, whose automobile was directly ahead of the would-be slayer.

The crash of the shattered glass, the explosion to the crowd that the Prince's life had been endangered and Naniwa was threatened with death, and the police managed to rush him to the safety of a police station.

He was taken from there to central police headquarters, where officers are still grilling him in an effort to determine who was behind the plot.

Naniwa, or Namba as he is known in some districts, claims he is a son of a member of the Diet. According to the police who are questioning the prisoner, he is of the longhaired radical type.

DAWES AND YOUNG CONFER WITH THE PRESIDENT TODAY

Washington, D. C., Dec. 27. (INS.)—Charles G. Dawes and Owen D. Young, the American representatives on the international commission that is to investigate Germany's economic conditions and her capacity to pay reparations, received their final instructions here today from President Coolidge and Secretary of State Hughes.

General Dawes will be chairman of the commission. Accompanied by Young he called at the State Department this morning and had a long conference with Secretary Hughes, and then crossed the street to the White House for a similar conference with President Coolidge.

It was announced today that Stuart Crockett of New York, who has been associated with Young in the General Electric Company, will accompany the American commission as secretary.

Robert P. Dawes, of Chicago, brother of the general, will be included as an assistant to his brother.

Dawes and Young will sail for Europe from New York on Saturday. The whole commission lunched with President Coolidge today.

Fall Denies He Ever Received Any Money From Sinclair Oil Men

Washington, Dec. 27. (INS.)—Ex-Secretary of Interior Fall in a letter to the Senate committee investigating the leasing of naval oil reserves to private interests denied categorically today that he ever had received money from any individual or interest to whom he leased reserve oil lands.

"I never received any money, by loan or gift, from Harry F. Sinclair or E. L. Doheny," Fall wrote.

Sinclair obtained the lease to Teapot Dome and Doheny the lease to the Naval-Oil Reserve in Elk Hills, California.

Fall declared, however, that he was advanced \$100,000 by Edward B. McLean, Washington newspaper publisher, to assist in buying a ranch in New Mexico. The loan was made on a personal note under an agreement whereby McLean within three years was to have the right to call the loan or enter into a partnership with Fall. The money was used in purchasing the Harris Ranch adjoining Fall's.

Fall sent the letter explaining his private financial affairs because he is still unable physically to appear before the committee, he said.

"The fact that Mr. H. F. Sinclair came to Three Rivers with his wife and another lady and gentleman on December 31, 1921, of January 1, 1922, just after I had taken possession of the Harris Home ranch property and of the Harris-Brownfield cattle had incited some evil minded persons to the conclusion that I must have obtained money from Sinclair," Fall wrote. "It should be needless for me to say that in the purchase of the Harris ranch or in any other purchase or expenditure I have never approached E. L. Doheny or anyone connected with him or any of his corporations nor have I received from any of said parties one cent on account of any oil lease or upon any other account whatsoever."

Harry F. Sinclair testifying repeatedly refused to give details of transactions of individuals in the syndicate, saying:

"These are private transactions and they don't seem to me to be pertinent to the inquiry."

Explaining his refusal to give the committee details of "private dealings," Sinclair said:

"The Mammoth Oil Company is the company created to carry out the obligations of the lease. The transactions which may have taken place

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ATTEMPT TO PLACE BLAME FOR FIRE IN ILLINOIS ASYLUM

Seventeen Died and at
Least Thirty Dangerous
Lunatics Loosed Upon
Residents of Chicago.

KNOWN FIRE TRAP

Chicago, Dec. 27. (INS.)—Five city state and federal agencies today launched a joint inquiry into the disastrous fire at the Chicago State hospital for the insane at Dunning, which last night took a toll of at least 17 lives and loosed 30 or more dangerously insane patients as a menace to the city.

Was a Fire Trap

Fire hazard in the overcrowded frame structure known as "the death house" has been recognized as an ever present danger for the last 11 years and the asylum had been saved from destruction by flames largely by luck in eight blazes since 1910.

Judge C. H. Jenkin, State Director of Public Welfare, arrived in Chicago today to take charge of the investigation for the state. He will be assisted by the state fire marshal's office, the Chicago fire department, County Judge Jarecki and representatives of the United States Veterans Bureau, working on behalf of ex-service men housed in the tinder structure.

Five Identified

Bodies charred beyond recognition made the work of identification slow and but five had been listed among the known dead early today. They were:

Elijah Carraker, an attendant. Mrs. Carraker, his wife. Lowell Carraker, 11, their son. Michael Ledwith, 43, a patient. John Bennett, 38, a patient.

Twelve unidentified bodies recovered from the ruins were those of patients who were unable to escape when panic broke loose among the 600 patients, epileptics and victims of dementia praecox who were in the flimsy building when the flames were discovered.

Dangerous Men Escape

Many of the 600 patients suffering from milder forms of insanity under ordinary conditions became violent on the horror of the night and broke

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SERIOUS FIRE AT THE N. Y. C. SHOPS HERE LAST EVENING

Wood Work Shop With
Heavy Stocks of Tools
and Materials Burned;
Coal Dock Scorched.

LOSS ABOUT \$100,000

A fire which started in the blacksmith shop about 6:30 o'clock last evening destroyed the carpenter shop or wood working department of the car repair shops in the local New York Central yards, entailing a loss unofficially estimated at anywhere from \$100,000 to \$110,000.

Started in Smithy

There was no word at work in the blacksmith shop at the time and when the fire was discovered the interior of the shop was a mass of flames. Employees of the N. Y. C. at the yard, got out the company's fire fighting apparatus and made a desperate fight to extinguish the flames before having a general alarm sounded, but when they found they were unable to control the fire sent in a call and the local fire department was soon upon the scene and after a hard battle succeeded in confining the flames to the wood working department, although the coal dock adjoining was pretty badly scorched and had several holes burned in the side and the roof.

Short of Equipment
The town firemen were handicapped in their efforts by the scarcity of available fire plugs. Elk Hose company, first to respond, attached their hose to the plug at the corner of Seventh street and Bigler avenue and were forced to lay a line almost 2000 feet in length to reach the fire, this being done by making connection with the railroad company's line.

The firemen were handicapped by lack of pressure, due in part to the long line of hose and to the further fact of a small water main in the region where the plug was located.

Fire Chief Kreher detailed a squad of Company No. 1 to get the steamer down to the fire but before a flat car and engine could be secured on which to transport the engine the fire had burned its way down through the one story frame shops and was stopped at the coal docks. Had a motor driven pumper been available at the plug at Seventh and Bigler Avenue early in the fire, the effectiveness of the fire fighting would have been advanced materially.

In order that it be possible to reach the roof of the coal dock with the water, an engine was run up alongside and the railroad employees and firemen working from the top of the boiler were able to reach the flames and extinguish them.

The storeroom was in the building destroyed and much material stored therein went up in smoke. The destruction of the shops will throw a considerable number of men out of work, temporarily, at least.

FUNERAL NOTICE
The funeral of the late Harry Freeman of Phillipsburg will be held Friday afternoon with services at the Freeman home. Cold. Struam, at 2 o'clock. Rev. F. T. Eastment, of St. Paul's, will officiate. and he will be assisted by Dr. E. S. Oyster, of Trinity Methodist. The Masonic fraternity will attend and conduct a special service. Burial will be made in the local cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jordan of Dorey street, announce the birth of a boy on Christmas eve.

Miss Frances Hall spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Walter Miller of Curwensville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hall of Crozier Ave. are spending a week's vacation with Mr. Hall's sister, Mrs. W. T. Mellaine of Franklinville, Pa.

Builder Of K. K. K. Offers His Services To President Saying Klan Is Menace To Law & Order

FATE OF THE DIXMUDE WILL PROBABLY BE UNSOLVED MYSTERY

No Trace of Ship, Crew
or Wreckage Found by
French Naval Vessels;
Le Matin Accuses.

HOPE ABANDONED

By HARRY FLORY

(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent.)
Paris, Dec. 27.—The fate of the giant French dirigible Dixmude, which has been missing nine days with 50 persons on board, promised today to become an unsolved mystery. While hope for the ship has been

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Talks Interestingly Of Early History Of This Region To Rotary Club

Harold Woolridge, of Woodland was the guest of the Clearfield Rotary Club at the regular weekly meeting of the club at the Hotel Jordan and following the transaction of the regular business of the meeting treated the Rotarians to an interesting twenty minute talk on the early history of Clearfield county and this section of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Woolridge possesses a wide knowledge of our early history from the time of the Indians down to the present and gave an entertaining exposition of same. On account of the limited time at his disposal Mr. Woolridge touched upon nothing but the high points in the history of the West Branch Valley and our county, being forced to withhold many interesting facts of local history for another occasion. His remarks were greatly appreciated by his hearers.

President Albert Stewart made

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BLOODSHED IMMINENT WITHIN THE KLAN

In a statement this afternoon amplifying his letter to the President, Clarke asserted the Klan is now divided into two hostile factions and that blood shed is imminent.

"The far famed mountain fiefs of Kentucky are playthings in comparison to the bitterness and hatred now existing between the two factions," he said, "and bloodshed is as certain to come as night follows day."

PINCHOT TALKS ON EDUCATION BEFORE STATE ASSOCIATION

Harrisburg, Dec. 27.—Pennsylvania will take no backward steps in education, Governor Pinchot this afternoon assured the fourth annual convention of the Pennsylvania State Educational Association. The Governor told the representatives of the State's 50,000 teachers that Pennsylvania will go forward "thoughtfully, intelligently and vigorously."

The Governor outlined four things which he said are necessary for the success of the public school system of the State. They were:

- 1.—A sound modern plan with full provisions for meeting changing needs.
- 2.—Adequate equipment of school houses and all material of instruction.
- 3.—Corps of well-trained, adequately paid teachers who are stimulated to steady self-improvement.
- 4.—Public support of the above needs.

Stresses Grade Work

While he asserted the need of having the Department of Public Instruction at Harrisburg the real head of the school system yet he made it plain he did not intend it should be a place of arbitrary dictation but rather for

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Edward Young Clarke,
Imperial Giant and Ex-
Head of Klan, Makes
Dramatic Indictment.

SAYS KLAN MENACE TO SOCIETY NOW

Washington, Dec. 27. (INS.)—The K. Klux Klan as a national movement was brought dramatically into the open today and laid on the doorstep of the White House.

In a letter to President Coolidge, Edward Young Clarke, Imperial giant and former head of the Klan in the United States, declared the organization which he was instrumental in founding had degenerated into "a cheap political machine," that it "has been supervening the authority of American courts," and he concluded his letter with an appeal to the President to take the lead in a national effort to stamp out "hounded terrorism" or else force the Klan to disrobe.

Senators Created.
Clarke's letter created a sensation in the Capitol. Not only did the founder of the Klan condemn in his letter, some of the gravest charges that have been made against the organization by its enemies but he also served notice of a war in a twinkling. Miram W. Evans, present Imperial Wizard.

The fate of the Klan as a national organization is said to hang in the balance.

Schmitts Evidence.

Besides the letter, Clarke submitted to the President a mass of documentary evidence to support his charges that the present administration of the Klan has violated laws, that it has "deprived citizens of their constitutional rights" and that it has "encouraged physical violence and intimidation of citizens." The President is said to have given the President an

The letter was delivered to President Coolidge this morning by Edgar Miller, secretary to Clarke, while the Imperial Wizard himself is said to be enroute to Washington to personally lay before the President, if permitted, documents relating to "new" of national Klan secrets and maps.

While Fuller was at the White House, Evans and a little band of his lieutenants were holding a meeting in a hotel not far from the White House considering ways and means of countering Clarke's bold step. Evans is said to have got wind of the move several days ago and slipped quickly into Washington to be on hand for today's developments.

Severe Arrangement Clarke in his letter savagely assailed

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Wonderful Age For Women, Says Leader

The End Is Not In Sight, and the Once Feeble Sex May Take the Leadership From the Male

By FRANK A. CLARVOE

(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 27.—Man's contempt for the empty-minded woman has revolutionized the feminine intellect in the last hundred years, according to Miss Mary T. Messer of the Extension Department of the University of California.

"Man at last has come to feel contempt for the brainless condition of the 18th century type of feminine mind," declared Miss Messer, "a condition which he himself created by too much protection."

"Men no longer will run seven city blocks to escape a woman who knows as much or more than they do; instead they scorn that woman who cannot take an intelligent part in modern discussions."

Miss Messer, who has delved thru a long period of research into the mind of modern woman to see how it got that way, holds that modern woman is the most intellectual bit of femininity, generally speaking, since Adam and Eve first discussed economics outside the Garden of Eden.

The woman of the 18th century reached the lowest intellectual level, she declared.

"Man long ago assumed world

leadership and gave woman protection for her services," continued Miss Messer. "He gained control of her actions and directed her thoughts into channels where she would be kept subordinate to his dominance."

Blames the Men

"He told woman it was unwise and unwomanly to interest herself intellectually in world affairs, or to assert herself in certain directions. Women therefore abstained from doing these things because of man's superiority."

"There always have been exceptions to this rule, women who have made men respect them for their common sense and who were not afraid of a mouse. Now the other kind is getting to be the exception, particularly where opportunities are presented for their development."

"Women have demonstrated that if given a chance they can compete with men intellectually and do many things formerly regarded as entirely masculine brain work."

"This modern protest against masculine dominance has in certain phases resolved itself into a partial exaltation of divorce—women's recent

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MOUNTAINEER OUTLAWS DISTURB WORSHIP, WRECK CHURCH AND BEAT THE MEN AND WOMEN ATTENDANTS

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 27. (INS.)—The hands of Bishop and the gang set upon the two men in the darkness and beat and kicked them into insensibility. In the meantime other members of the church who came out on hearing the noise were set upon and beaten.

Mrs. Richards and Mrs. Bishop, wives of the injured men, were also attacked and beaten terribly. In the meantime other members of the congregation frightened by the attack, jumped into their teams and autos and escaped.

Wrecks Cars and Buildings
When the vandals had finished their attack upon the church members, they turned their attention to automobiles which were parked in front of the church. Tires were cut and torn to shreds, the tops of the machines were battered in and the cars handled so badly that they could not be driven away. The attacking band then entered the church. They broke out windows, destroyed the pulpit, tore the side of the church and cut holes in the roof of the structure.

Members of the congregation brought the story here. In the meantime the injured people managed to make their way to their homes where they received medical attention. The gang is said to have been opposed to church members and accused members of the congregation of informing upon their moonshine and bootlegging activities.

Women Beaten
As they opened the church doors they were met with a fusillade of shots. A lantern was knocked from

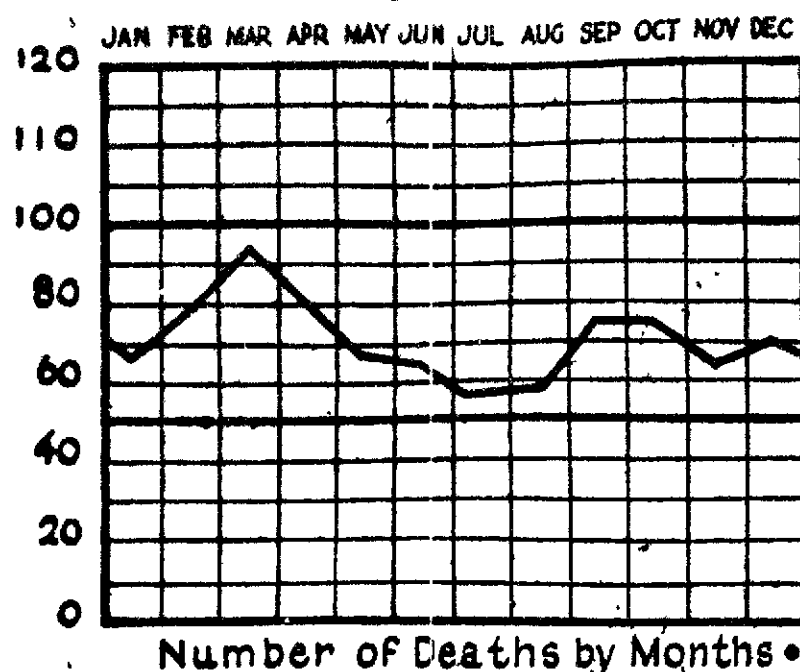
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More Deaths in March Than Any Other Month



Number of Deaths by Months

More people die in March than in any other month of the year, according to a recent survey of deaths among policyholders of the Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia during the years 1920, 1921 and 1922.

April ranks second on the list, and February third. More deaths occurred in these three months than in the four months, July, August, June and May combined. They rank from the bottom of the list in the order named.

Summer, with 21 per cent of the average total deaths for the last three years, has fewer deaths than any other season. Winter is first with 25 per cent, and spring and fall nearly even with 23 and 24 per cent respectively.

A combination of causes makes March the death month of the year. It is the high tide for influenza, pneumonia and organic diseases of the heart. For the entire year, heart disease takes the heaviest death toll, which amounts to about one-sixth of the total number. Pneumonia is second and cancer third.

The survey brings many interesting facts to light. It shows that suicides are most numerous in January and April, and fewest in the summer months. Ten times as many policyholders killed themselves as were

killed by others. The death toll of automobile accidents and typhoid fever was heaviest in August, cancer in September, tuberculosis in June, and Bright's disease in January.

In some cases the explanation is comparatively obvious. In others, the best authorities can only offer opinions. Dr. Charles H. Williams, Medical Director of the Provident, made the following comment on the facts shown by the survey:

"A combination of constantly changing weather and weakened resistance, the over-crowding in public conveyances or places of amusement, especially during the season of epidemics, the inattention to simple colds or the early symptoms of influenza are largely responsible for the heavy death toll in February, March and April.

"Vacations, living out of doors, the taking of more exercise, the less frequent use of trolleys and trains, the simpler diet of fruits and vegetables help to keep the death rate low in summer. It begins to rise in the latter part of September, after the effects of summer vacations have worn off. If people took vacations twice a year—in February as well as in July or August—paid more attention to personal and public hygiene, our death rate might be lowered. At least it would be more uniform throughout the year."

Wonderful Age For Women

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ment of paternal household domination.

"Gradually a readjustment of the home will remove this sort of thing as a reason for divorce, as well as women, are beginning to adjust themselves.

Feeling Our Way.

"The end is not in sight, and only the future can determine where the control of the home will lie, who will be vested with domestic or conjugal authority. We are only feeling our way now, and there needs must be some confusion as a result.

"Woman's chief task still is the home, although many women are faring afield on missions of their own many of them married women, necessitating corresponding adjustments.

"But woman's intellectual development need never jeopardize the home if she is allowed a reasonable opportunity to exercise her now-found talent. Suppression may cause wreck ages, however.

"This is a wonderful age for women, with opportunities for everyone to rise and do in life out way. I work out my original places for themselves in society, equal, I think, to men.

"Woman will never cease to be a family life even in the absorption of new interests, but she will be able to make adjustments, and there must be adjustments, and there are worked out, look for a certain amount of disruption of family life with consequent domestic wreck ages in the divorce courts."

of the Klan never intended it should become a law and order league or political machine, but rather it was to be an organization designed to build and develop spiritually, mentally and physically the Protestant white men. The method to be employed he said, was educational propaganda.

"Now," he continued, "the thing which alarms me most is the apparent trend of thought inside the organization and the tendency of the membership to seek to assume local, state and national political dictatorship. And in my judgment when any power of a secret organization assumes either of these attitudes it immediately becomes a real menace to free government."

Clarke then quoted from numerous of his speeches at Reading, Pittsburgh and Philadelphia, to show he has always stood for law and order and declared that as imperial wizard he had threatened to revoke all the charters in one state (Texas) and had forbidden parades in another state (Oklahoma) because he considered them "against public morals."

"In the face of this condition," the letter continued, "I can do no less than tender you any assistance in my power toward forcing the lawless element out of the Klan, thus permitting it to function as intended as a high-tone, character building, active fraternal organization; or this being

Fate Of The Dixmude

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abandoned, the Ministry of Marine has not yet given up hope that some, or all the crew and passengers may yet be found alive.

The optimism of Ministry of Marine officials is not generally shared. The Marin charges that the Dixmude left her base at Toulon to fly across the Mediterranean to Algeria without notifying the Ministry of Marine in Paris.

Commander Censored

According to the Marin the commander of the airship failed to seek advice as to weather conditions.

Due to error in the fundamental organization of the marine ministry and lack of co-operation between the naval and aviation services and the meteorological service, the Dixmude set out a blind plaything of the elements, said the Marin.

The Ministry of Marine is instituting an official investigation to determine the responsibility for the dirigible.

A Ray of Hope

Officials recall, however that in 1919 the airplane Goliath's crew were found alive in the Sahara desert after having been missing for eight days.

The Dixmude carried only sufficient fuel and food to last until last Sunday or Monday. It is feared that, if the airship was carried over Africa and landed in some isolated spot on the Sahara Desert the crew and passengers would starve to death before a rescue party could reach them.

French naval vessels are combing the Mediterranean for traces of wreckage but have found none.

Pinchot Talks

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"consultation, stimulation and active helpfulness."

"The greatest task and the most urgent need" at present, the Governor said is further strengthening of the elementary schools. He pointed out that the large majority of school children never get beyond the grade schools and for that reason every effort possible should be made to fit them for future usefulness. He asserted that he did not want to see any phase of educational neglect but that "it is clear the education of the masses must have the right of way in a democracy."

For Farm Learning

Emphasizing the need in the rural districts, the Governor said the pupils in those sections should be fitted first for the life a majority of them intend to live, a farmer's life. Pennsylvania is second on the list of states whose inhabitants live in the open country and that alone made consideration of rural school problems a pressing need, the Governor said.

There is still room for improvement in the normal schools of the State, the Governor believes. He said that although much improvement has been made since the State took them over they "have yet to reach the level which we have a right to expect," and that "much attention can profitably be given to their immediate improvement."

As an example of the way in which Pennsylvania is spending money for her schools the Governor mentioned

that while formerly 20 per cent of the entire revenue of the State went to that purpose, the percentage now is 34%. He also called attention to the fact that "for the first time in many years" the State aid to school districts is being paid within the time limit set by law.

Questions Institute Value

The Governor questioned the worth of one of the popular parts of the educational system—that of the yearly institutes at which the presence of teachers is required and during which the school children have a holiday. The Governor asserted he was far from suggesting that conferences among teachers should be abolished but hinted that much of the money spent could be better employed.

A drop in food costs is reported, but no one has been seriously frightened by the jar.

Having got a black eye in Africa, Spain is convinced that its future lies in South America.

Latin countries deserve credit anyway for discovering a revolution that improves business.

The college president's advice to young men against writing poems to young ladies would apply equally well without special feminine references.

"We give the advanced thinkers among women fair warning—politics is fattening," says the Toledo Blade. It is job holding that makes politicians fat. Rustling for office is different.



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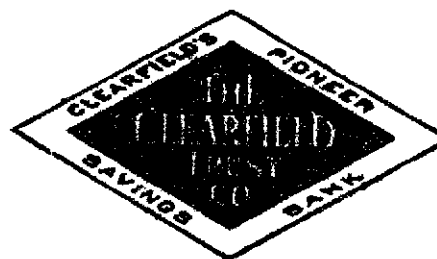
The Time Is Here To Plan Your Good Resolutions

As we near the first of the year we always make some good resolutions and the best one you could possibly make is to

Join Our 1924 Christmas Savings Club Tomorrow

It will mean that you will have enough money to see you through the next Christmas buying season without having to scrimp and save for weeks ahead and for weeks afterward.

It's a good resolution—make it and keep it.



THE CLEARFIELD TRUST COMPANY

Builder of K. K. K.

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ed the existing Klan, its present policies and acts of its officials. In part it follows:

To the President.

The White House.

"Sir—As the man most largely responsible for the building of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan and having recently been confronted with indisputable evidence showing the prostitution of the ideals and principles and purposes of the Klan and also facts relating to the steady withdrawal of the better element—I take the liberty of addressing this communication to you, the supreme head of our Government, to tender you any assistance in my power to end the activities of an element of our citizenship which has crept into the organization and is presently in control thereof and making the Klan as now operating a menace to law and order and the rights and liberties and democratic principle of the Government.

Cheap Political Machine.

"I have received from widely separated sections of the country direct and authoritative information that the Klan is rapidly developing nationally as a cheap political machine, a regulatory law and order league and in sections where it is strongest, brazenly and openly superseding the authority of the courts, and through character assassination, intimidation and actual physical violence, depriving American citizens of their constitutional right without due process of law or trial before a jury of their peers. "The positive and indisputable information which has come to me as to the gradual degenera-

tion and despoilation of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, is a severe shock to me, and while I am perfectly willing to assume the moral responsibility which is rightly mine as having been chiefly instrumental in the building of the Klan, in justice to myself and the hundreds of thousands of high grade men who have been drawn into the Klan because of its declarations of ideals and principles, I cannot and will not rest silent and passive and sit idly by in the face of such conditions and thus allow to fall on my shoulders the blame for the outrages of justice, individual liberty and respect for the courts and the government resulting from the rape of the organization which has taken place in the past year or eighteen months time."

He declared that the founders

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BY SHOP CRAFTSSystem Federation No. 90 Claims
Forteen Millions From
the Pennsylvania.

FIRST ACTION OF ITS KIND

Sixty Thousand Workers Seek to Re-
cover Large Sum to Make Up
an Alleged Underpayment
in Their Wages.

System Federation No. 90, representing shop crafts on the Pennsylvania railroad, has brought suit in the federal district court in Philadelphia for \$14,000,000 against the Pennsylvania railroad to make up alleged underpayment in wages which resulted, according to the bill of complaint, from the railroad's refusal to abide by the ruling of the United States railroad labor board.

A statement given out by attorneys for the plaintiff stated that the suit was filed on behalf of "sixty thousand shopmen." It was filed by David Wallerstein, Philadelphia attorney, with whom are associated in the case Donald M. Richberg, Chicago, counsel for the railway employees' department of the American Federation of Labor, and Morris Hillquit, New York.

According to the statement, the suit is the first of its kind in the history of American jurisprudence and is expected to go eventually to the United States supreme court.

The bill of complaint asks for an injunction restraining the Pennsylvania railroad from paying wages to members of the mechanical forces on a scale below that in force June 30, 1921, from refusing to recognize seniority rights established by the labor board; from continuing the piecework system and the present rules and conditions of work; from recognizing as representatives of the shopmen the "company union," which is established, the complaint avers, "without consent of the majority of the men" and from making any agreement with the "company union" governing wages, hours and conditions of work.

GENERAL LABOR NOTES

All females under eighteen, whether married or single, in Oregon are subject to all labor laws affecting minors.

The wages paid to British boat and ship operatives are to be increased to 40 shillings a week, owing to a rise in the cost of living index figure issued by the British ministry of labor.

A meeting of the chief executives of 16 standard railroad labor organizations for the purpose of agreeing upon a definite legislative policy in connection with matters to come before the next congress, was held in Washington Nov. 14 on the call of Warren R. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

An industrial trace for five years is proposed by Tom Sykes, secretary of the Brotherhood Movement in England, in order to install a new spirit in industry. Something functioning as the League of Nations does internationally is needed in industry, he thinks, to focus and direct the latent good will in society. "It could," suggests Sykes, "co-ordinate and extend the numerous local attempts at co-operation, profit sharing and the operations of workers' councils. It would afford a court of appeal for industrial strife and a useful means of removing misunderstanding."

To a hundred men with an aggregate of 1,600 years of service to the Pennsylvania railroad, held their annual meeting recently in Chicago and elected to an address by Vice-President T. T. Whittier. They are members of the Veterans' Association of Chicago Terminal Division and included men with a minimum of twenty years and a maximum of fifty-four years of service with the road. Oliver H. Marsh, who served the road for 34 years, started at Upper Summit as a messenger boy. H. W. Marsh, eighty-one, the oldest man present, worked for the road just 50 years.

A verdict for the defense was returned in United States District court at Fort Smith, Ark., under instructions of Judge Alpha C. Pollock, in the suit of the Colorado Coal company and others against the United Mine Workers of America, in which damages of \$22,200 were sought as a result of alleged property damage and resultant interference with nonunion coal mining in the Hartford Valley coal field during the miners' strike in 1914. Judge Pollock held that the coal company had failed to establish jurisdiction in the federal court under terms of the Sherman anti-trust law, ruling that they had not shown that the property destruction resulted from a conspiracy to interfere with interstate commerce.

The 17,488 employees of the Treasury department in Washington covered by the reclassification act are to receive an average net increase of \$54 a year above their present base pay plus the \$240 bonus, according to statistics made public by the personnel classification board. This brings the average salary for the entire department up to \$1,822.

The total number of applicants for the unemployment dole in all of France in a recent week was 415, of whom 32 were in Paris. The total for March, 1921, was 91,000.

The
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LEGION

(Copy for this department supplied by the American Legion, News Service.)

274 NEW MEMBERS IN YEAR

Roy R. Volk, Adjutant Altus (Okla.)
Legion Post, Adds Many New
Names to Roster.

To Roy R. Volk, adjutant of the James Monroe Post of the American Legion in Altus, Okla., is given credit for a remarkable growth of post membership.

When Volk was named to the post of adjutant the organization had but 25 members, but he increased this in less than a year to 292, making it one of the principal posts in the state.

The first thing Volk did was to secure one of the best-equipped clubrooms in the state, with a kitchen which would permit meals to be served to 300 at one time, a billiard room and a \$1,500 library. Well-equipped offices and lounging rooms are to be found in the quarters.

In his drive for members Volk made a clean sweep of the city of Altus and extended his efforts to the surround-



Roy R. Volk.

ing country, visiting many ex-service men in nearby farms. He hopes to boost the post membership to 500 before the close of the year, and aspires to a home owned by the post.

Volk lost all his immediate family, two brothers and a sister, in the World war and is himself disabled. As sergeant in air service, he was cited for meritorious work while at Post field, no similar recognition having been granted a soldier at that post throughout the war, it is said.

FLAGS ARE IN SEALED CASES

World War Colors of Ohio Units Are
Placed in Statehouse at
Buckeye Capital.

Flags carried by Ohio units in the World war have been placed in a sealed glass case in the statehouse at Columbus, O., there to rest by the side of the colors carried by Ohio regiments in the Civil war.

The ceremony attending the return of the flags to the state, in accordance with a recent order of the War department, was attended by many veterans of both the Civil and World wars. Three national units of defense are represented by the World war flags now in the keeping of the state—the regular army, the National Guard and the reserve corps. In a parade prior to the placing of the flags in the statehouse many of the colors were carried by the original color sergeants who carried them in the World war.

The flags were presented by Col. Charles Rhodes, chief of staff, Fort Hayes, Fifth corps area commander, representing the United States government. They were received by Adjutant General Henderson of Ohio.

American Legion officials participated in the ceremony.

LEGION THEIR BEST FRIEND

Disabled American Veterans Express
Confidence in "Organization
and Seek Its Help.

The American Legion is the best friend of the ex-service man, was the declaration of James A. McFarland of Dalton, Ga., national commander of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War, in an address delivered before the national convention of the Legion at San Francisco.

"The Disabled American veterans realize that the best friend of the ex-service man is the American Legion," he said. "That the organization that has the strength to force the issue to demand the recognition due the ex-service man is the Legion, and I am sure my crippled buddies of the D. A. V. are glad that I rode 3,000 miles to let you men of the Legion know that we believe in you and want you to stand by us and help us."

Post Leases Auditorium

The Lincoln (Neb.) post of the American Legion has leased the Lincoln City auditorium for a period of one year. The lease carries all contracts previously entered into by the city with individuals. The Legion post plans to use a part of the building for clubrooms. A canteen probably will be established in the auditorium.

ODDS AND ENDS
AND THINGS

By J. D. C.

Sportsmen of the state, believing that the only way to save the ruffed grouse or native pheasant from extinction is to do away with the bird dog by state law, will organize to take the matter before the next legislature. A law similar to that proposed for the chasing of the dog out of the game covers of the state drove the deer hound from the woods and saved the deer from extinction. An anti-bird dog law will do the same for the native pheasant.

Fee bills, which it is estimated will increase the state's revenues several millions of dollars annually were passed by the 1923 Legislature. A compilation of these measures, made from the session laws and now being distributed, has been completed by John H. Fertig, assistant director of the Legislative Reference Bureau.

With few exceptions the increased fees were appropriated for the use of the departments administering the laws. One of the exceptions is the case of fees received by the State Athletic Commission for licenses for boxing and wrestling matches and from the state tax of five per cent on receipts. After the payment of the commission's expenses receipts up to \$300,000 are to be used for World War memorials in France and Belgium.

The Highway Department and Department of Labor and Industry will receive probably the largest amount as a result of new fees. In the former case nearly all the increases of fee automobile owners or drivers. With the Department of Labor and Industry the new fees relate largely to boiler and elevator inspections and for mattress tags.

Among the new Highway Department receipts will be the following: \$2 fee for titling motor vehicles; \$1 for operator's license; \$1 for examining an operator; 50 cents for learner's permit; good for thirty days; 50 cents for replacement of a lost certificate; \$1 for certified copy of record; \$5 for collection of protested check; and \$2 for registration of a second motor vehicle where one covered by original registration is transferred.

An increase of \$1. Various fees for commercial vehicles were increased and the department was given authority to fix, collect and use fees from permits to carry pipes, wires and other articles over or under state or town highways. The motor titling fee and operator's licenses alone are expected to bring \$2,000,000 or more.

The Banking Department will have increased receipts through higher fees for examination of building and loan associations while the new securities bureau of the Banking Department is responsible for additional revenue from registration of dealers in securities and licenses.

The Department of Mines will receive fees of \$2 for examining assistant mine foremen and fire bosses and \$3 for certificates for successful applicants as well as payment from bituminous operators for certain report books of foremen, assistant foremen and fire bosses.

Under the Auditor General's Department rates of commission for attorneys employed to collect delinquent taxes are fixed at ten per cent on the first \$500; five per cent on the next \$2,500 and two and one-half per cent on amounts above \$2,500, the commission to be added to the amount of taxes and charged to the delinquents.

Many fees for work in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth were increased from 25 cents to \$1 and proceeds to go to the general revenue fund. The fee for advance sheet of laws was raised from \$3 to \$5.

The Public Service Commission is to receive various fees for testing instruments, the amounts ranging from \$1 to \$5.

The Board of Game Commissioners receive additional funds through the increase in the hunters' licenses from \$1 to \$2.50.

New or increased fees also were fixed for examination for registration of nurses, for licensing of osteopathic surgeons, and registration of optometrists, the receipts to go to the boards in charge.

Fashionable colors change frequently, but red is still the prevailing shade for revolvers.

If we ever have a four-hour working day somebody will be striking for a two-hour one.

New York is to abolish lotteries. That is, most lotteries. People will go on marrying.

The baby who does daily doze to grow fat, does a daily dozen later in life to grow thin.

Sport News

By DAVIS J. WALSH

I. N. S. Sports Editor

New York, Dec. 27.—The high cost of Prima Donna's being what it is both of the New York hall clubs are making no secret of the fact that they look for serious times this year in lining up their players for the 1924 season. The boys are determined to be supported in the style to which they are accustomed and the fact that each club is now a three-time winner of the pennant in their respective leagues will only serve to make the fountain pen more difficult.

Of the entire list of world's champion Yankees, only George H. Ruth, the well known outfielder, is signed to a 1924 contract. Of the National League champion Giants, George Kelly is the only member in line.

Both have holdover contracts, other wise it is altogether likely that they would be among those present when the charge of the light brigade is staged.

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Ter Rickard today declared that he knew nothing of the claim of Luis Firpo that he held an agreement to box Erminio Spalla, European heavy-weight champion, in Buenos Aires at a time that conflicted with the Spalla-Tanney match, closed by Rickard for February 1. The promoter added that he had negotiated for Spalla's services by cable, and understood that the latter had no other obligations.

HOW MUCH LOVE
NECESSARY FOR
REAL LOVE NEST

In "Cuddle-up" there is a scene which shows the home that "Love" built, in other words, it's commonly called a Love Nest. Now the question is, "How much love does it take to make a Love Nest?" This is one of the difficult problems that will be answered next Tuesday, Jan. 1, matinee and night at The Driggs theatre.

This one subject has had more discussion over the telephone and by mail almost, than prohibition, but it is answered in a most satisfactory manner in O. E. Wee's "Famous Cuddle-up" Musical Comedy by a dozen of the most beautiful girls in the theatrical business.

It is claimed that "Love Nests" are castles built in the air without a solid foundation. You know the kind, that when the minister asks you "a lot of questions and you blush and reply 'I will' or 'I do'." Of course your intentions are for a life time but "hinge" seem to turn up and you soon realize that some of the straws of the love nest are artificial, and time you apply to the good judge to grant you a divorce.

Just a little secret we will let you in on, and that is, all the girls in "Cuddle-up" are single and waiting for their chance for a love nest; of course some of them are divorcees who have travelled the route before and are willing to share their troubles with you now; however, this is one big scene which is for laughing purposes only, and not meant to offend any one. If you want to sweeten your heart and take an evening off from your troubles and cares

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Ladies' Brushed Wool Sweaters, with collars, special each \$5.95
Brushed Wool Sweaters without collars, each \$3.95

LEITZINGER BROS.

and visit "Cuddle-Up." Secure your seats early in advance to secure good locations.

Sale Commences Wednesday at The Driggs Theatre.

Possibly a mathematician might figure out how much a German mark is worth in Confederate money.

At that, everything lately has not been for the worst. Most of the efficiency experts are back to work.

It is understood the Boston dog that has succeeded Laddie Boy in the White House backs with a broad A.

Common is becoming infested with grackles. Spooks, like some new variety of popcorn confederates.

An earthquake is reported from Egypt, but so far it has not been connected with the opening of King Tut's tomb.

In selecting three official copies of underclothing for next year, the retail clothing evidently overlooked the red

THE OLD HOME TOWN

by Stanley



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THE AMENDMENT RUSH

The four latest amendments made to the Constitution were accomplished with such apparent ease that persons favoring some of the fifty amendments already proposed in the present Congress feel that their particular measures are likely to go through without trouble.

Yet it is pointed out that during the life of the last Congress about one hundred amendments were proposed, none of which ever got so far as submission to the states for ratification. Unless the public has been thoroughly educated as to the importance of an amendment, and has expressed its will, it is not easy to put one over.

The fifty amendments proposed in the first sixteen days of the present Congressional session do not represent fifty different causes. Thirteen of them are concerned with the abolition of child labor. There are numerous other duplicates.

If the public doesn't know what these are, it ought to find out, for it can help Congress considerably in separating the good from the bad by making known its own wishes.

A WEAK LINK IN OUR SYSTEM

We believe in and favor the rigid enforcement of the law and believe that violators of all laws should be made to suffer for their law-breaking, but also believe the authorities in charge of enforcing the law and those responsible for taking care of the weak and helpless in our county should use discretion and exercise just a little bit of human kindness in enforcing the law and looking after the innocent victims of even their own parents' capriciousness.

The people of this region generally did everything possible for Christmas time to make life more worth living in every home. They accomplished their purpose generally quite well. However, there was one home in our neighboring village of Woodland, where joy was unknown and innocent little children mourned not only the absence of both father and mother but were not for the charity of neighbors, would have been content of the actual necessities of life.

The home, which contained eight children—the youngest a wee little tot of two years—was that of a couple named Leutner. If you will have it that way who, like so many of the kind, are said to have violated the liquor law by manufacturing and peddling moonshine. The tools of their nefarious business and a little of the product were found on the premises when the house was raided on December 13th last, and both father and mother seized by the strong arm of the law, with the power of Clearfield County, the great Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the United States of America, "the land of the free and the home of the brave," behind it, and unceremoniously yanked into the Clearfield County jail.

Both parents were taken to jail for reasons best known to the authorities, we suppose. But what is to be gained by making innocent little children suffer needlessly, and especially at this time of all times when peace on earth and good will to men is exemplified by the efforts of all right-thinking men, even in our little town, to bring joy and Christmas cheer into the heart of every child?

Then, too, when this family of little ones were left alone, that the law might be avenged, with no chance for a trial of the case against the Leutners before the February criminal court, an effort was made by the neighbors, even the persons responsible for the arrest of the alleged bootleggers joining, to have something done for the helpless children, and though several appeals were made to the County Commissioners for aid, and promise after promise to do something for them were made

Progress Editorial For Women

CATCH 'EM YOUNG

By FLORENCE DAVIES

Scientists tell us that there are only two fundamental fears. We acquire a good many others in our lives, but the only fears we are born with are the fear of falling, and the fear of loud noises. Babies and animals, who have had no former experience with either of these things, will show fear when hearing a loud noise, or when some one suddenly takes away support or puts them on a high place.

But if we were only born with two fears, when come the others?

For hobgoblins we have a plenty. In fact, the doctor's tell us that half of our nervous troubles are caused by deeply buried fears. People may not admit it at first, but when the deep recesses of their minds are probed a doctor will often find that they are afraid of the strangest things, and that these fears prey upon them. Some of these fears have started as little worries, and then grown into lusty tyrants. Others are the result of half forgotten experiences which at one time caused fright or hurt.

People grow to be afraid of crowds, or of open spaces, of high walls, of criticism, of what people will say, of failure and of death.

But if we were born with only two ways a losing game.

fears, whence come this host of ghostly demons which haunt the mind?

The answer may be that since we are not born with them, we acquire them, just let them find entrance to our minds and there take root and grow.

The fear that some people have of failure starts as a tiny whisper, and then, because it is given house-room in the region of our minds, finally grows into a mighty roar.

The time comes after a while when any innocent little fear, which has been nursed and coddled and encouraged, may grow in the mind until it crowds out almost everything else. Then it is almost too late to get rid of it. It owes us and we have to cringe before it.

There's only one way with fears, which are really just worries grown big, and that is the old rule of "Catch 'em young and treat 'em rough." Don't give them house room. Grab them when they are little chaps, just nagging worries, mere whispers, faint shadowy suggestions, and pinch them out head first.

A good shaking by the shoulders or a good straight look in the very face of any little fear, will soon put an end to it. Remember, playing blind man's bluff with little worries is always a losing game.

by the Commissioners, up to this morning not a single thing had been done in the matter and the forlorn and mayhap hungry little ones remain in their cheerless home, their childish minds unable to grasp the reason for their being bereft of both father and mother at one fell swoop.

It is too bad that such things as this are allowed to exist in our county, and it is also too bad that parents cause such trouble to come upon their offspring by their own acts, and the offense cannot be condoned, but there certainly can be but little defense made for the suffering and neglect of these poor innocent little children. There surely ought to be some way to avoid such conditions as are here described.

An older boy, a bright-eyed fourteen year old lad, who is working at the brickworks to support his brothers and sisters, was in from Woodland this morning and got a pass to the jail to see his parents and while here made another attempt to have the County Commissioners make good their promise to give them some help, as he said he could not earn sufficient to keep them himself.

This, we believe, is one of the reasons why the ordinary individual doesn't get over-enthusiastic over dry-law enforcement in every case.

In the Courts

John M. Urey, Esq., entered suit in Prothonotary Ralston's office yesterday on behalf of the Boyer-Gillen Co. against John O'Connor & Son, of Houtzdale, in an effort to get a settlement of a disputed account for \$34.25 for groceries supplied by the wholesalers.

Boulton, Forsyth & Bell entered suit on behalf of Mrs. Mary E. Bailey, of Lawrence township, against Orle C. Norris and Howard J. Thompson, of Curwensville, in an effort to recover \$63.06, amount claimed for fourteen trees cut for mine props by the defendants found growing on the property of the Dorsey Bailey estate.

Sheriff Thos. J. Lowell, Deputy Sheriff Hummelbaugh, State Trooper Barker and Constable A. L. Sunderlin, of the Fourth Ward, with Chauffer Bellas at the wheel, motored up to New Liberty, the little mining town near Osceola, last evening and rounded up a couple of alleged illegal liquor sellers.

Search warrants were possessed by the officers for the homes of John Marcon and a man named Dundresky. At the Marcon home the man of the house was taken into custody. A search of the premises located a still and about 50 gallons of mash, while a pint of moonshine and quart of wine were salvaged after much effort on the part of the officers. During the search Constable Sunderlin noticed Mrs. Marcon slip out of the house, paddling through the snow in her bare feet. She started after him and found her with a bottle of hooch under each arm. The constable managed to get one bottle away from the woman, but she smashed the other before it could be taken away from her, and later cracked another bottle against the side of the house to keep it from falling into the hands of the officers. Marcon was brought to jail.

At the Dundresky home a still, five gallons of shine and a barrel of mash was also seized. Mrs. Nellie Dundresky was arrested and brought to jail, her husband having been able to elude the officers, but will likely be picked up later.

Evidence of previous sales had been secured at both places by residents of the community.

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HARRY THAW AGES RAPIDLY OWING TO CLOSE CONFINEMENT

Philadelphia, Dec. 27.—(United Press)—The once famous Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White and former husband of Evelyn Nesbit, is spending his sixth Christmas as an inmate at Karpis Hospital for the Insane.

Thaw was committed to the asylum in 1917 as a lunatic. When the great iron gates at the institution closed behind Thaw, shutting him off from the outside world, he was as straight as an arrow, cheerful, and his hair was coal black.

Now Thaw is 53 years old and his confinement is showing. His once ruddy complexion has changed to a yellowish-white, his shoulders are slowly being bent by age, the raven hair is streaked with gray.

Thaw, however, has not lost his good nature and is always cheerful. He dresses fashionably and keeps his appearance neat at all times.

Behind the high stone walls that circle the institution, Thaw takes daily outdoor exercises. He has several pets, his special hobby being pigeons.

He has raised a number of prize pigeons and has trained the birds to fly to him whenever he approaches and sit on his head, shoulders and arms.

Persistent rumors continue to circulate that Thaw will soon seek his liberty or ask for a court order for an extended "vacation" so that he can make a European trip.

These reports, however, have been denied by his attorney. It is explained that the only way Thaw can ever be released permanently from Karpis is that a commission judge him sane.

Since Thaw was committed his estate, then valued at about \$240,000, has increased in value and the principal now is said to amount to more than \$1,000,000. Most of his investments are in Standard Oil stock and liberty bonds. A trustee, appointed by the court, is in charge of the estate.

Persia's earthquake did little more than muss up the rug.

If wishes were pumpkin pies, small boys would eat little else.

Justice was never intended to be blindfolded with a pillow slip.

Lightning doesn't strike twice in the same spot; it doesn't have to.

THE FLIVVER THAT FLIVVERED!



Market News

New York, Dec. 27. (INS.)—Stocks gained further ground in the forenoon trading on the Stock Exchange today.

There was heavy trading in the equipments, American Loco rising over one point to 76, Baldwin 1% to 126 and American Car and Foundry nearly one point to 166 3/4.

Among the coppers, American Smelting was prominent, rising one point to 59 1/2.

Oils held steady. Steels were somewhat irregular. Rails showed small fractional changes.

Last Quotations.

American Loco	76 1/4
American Woolen	73 1/4
Baldwin Loco	126 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	58 1/4
Bethlehem Steel	54
Central Leather Pfd.	37
Cosden Co.	36 1/4
Crescent Steel	69 1/4
General Motors	14 1/4
Great Northern Railway	52 1/4
Marion Oil	38
Middlestate Oil	5 1/4
Penna. RR.	41 1/4
Pure Oil	24 1/4
Sinclair Oil	27 1/4
Skelly Oil	24 1/4
Studebaker	107 1/4
Texas Co.	43 1/4
U. S. Steel	98 1/4
Virginia Carolina Pfd.	30 1/4

Indicted Mayor



This is Adolph Unger, mayor of Tiffin, O., who has been indicted on charges of liquor law violation as a result of a recent federal cleanup. He is charged with procuring police protection for bootleggers.

It is time to resume work on that Christmas present begun last January.

Business is poor, it is reported, but happily it only applies to shoplifters.

The Russian ruble is now out of the cellar in the international financial teague.

Leading the war-after-the-war may convince Germany that it dashed several notches out of first place in the big circus.

No one can expect to kill total strangers with his automobile. Therefore a mind test for speed is the logical thing.

The Californians who are denied land on which to raise butterfat should move to New York and try the social scale.

AFTER-XMAS CLEAN-UP OF TOYS

We have some toys here which we will get rid of and you'll find that prices are so low that it will be to your better advantage to buy some of them. Come and see the toys and the low prices and you'll take some home with you.

NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

We are ready for you with New Year's Greeting cards and booklets, and they are really beautiful.



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The Mayfield Family



Here are photos of Earle B. Mayfield, senator from Texas, and his family. Above, Mr. and Mrs. Mayfield. Inset left, Horace Mayfield, and right, Emily, Jr., sons of the senator. Mayfield's seat in the Senate is to be contested. Photos taken in Washington, D. C.

CHICAGO SCENE

(Continued From Page One.)

away from attendants and guards in efforts to make their way back into the burning building or to escape from the asylum grounds.

Thirty of the cases classified as "dangerous" were believed to be among the escaped, as dawn broke over the grisly work of sifting the ruins for additional bodies.

Charles A. Carpenter, who broke away as the patients were being marched for shelter to the building where two Christmas trees were waiting for a celebration for patients when disaster intervened, was captured after a fight with police in metropolitan Chicago.

Carpenter fought for half an hour attempting to slash officers with a knife before he was subdued by Sergeant William Cusack and a squad of detectives.

At Supper Time
The flames were discovered while most of the patients were still at supper.

Herman Hacker, an epileptic and normal except when seized with an attack, had finished his meal and gone to his room, where he knelt at his cot, saying his prayers. The crackling of flames aroused him from his reverie of prayer and he looked to find smoke curling from a closet where oil and mops were stored. The blaze quickly spread, enveloping the tinder building.

Hacker ran shouting down the corridor to the entrance of the dining room and notified Mrs. Hannah Saunders, an attendant. The cry of fire unclosed the ragged nerves of the patients in a sudden panic. There had been a false alarm the night before.

600 Patients in Darkness
Mrs. Saunders ran to the fire headquarters in the engineering department and the asylum's siren shrieked a warning over the grounds.

As she returned to the building, the lights went out, leaving the 600 panicky occupants in darkness. Their screams of terror were followed by a rush to the exits, where they crowded and trampled in their efforts to escape.

Several Blind
But 18 attendants were available to lead the patients to safety and march them to the administration building, where temporary accommodations were arranged.

Several of the patients were blind. Mrs. Saunders, making her best efforts to keep the men calm, led several

DAVIS CLARIFIES
VIEWS OF GOVT.
ON IMMIGRATION

Washington, Dec. 27. (INS.)—Clarifying his view on the immigration problem, Secretary of Labor Davis declared today in a letter to Rabbi J. S. Minkov of Rochester, N. Y., that it was not the policy of the Government to permit the United States to become a "kind of world orphan asylum or foundling home for a home for the destitute."

"Your statement that it is the destiny of the United States to mother all of the children who were in need of motherhood is entirely opposite to my view," Davis wrote. "How long would American resources be able to maintain an American standard of living in the face of unrestricted admission of the unfortunates of the world?"

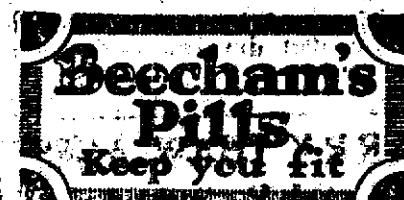
Explained:
"What's the 'nab' long?' 'It's some sort of Chinese name, my son—what a nibble in golf is to your shiny stick, a nab-jung do-hickey is to a domino."

al to the door. On one return to the hall she was overcome by the dense smoke and fell near the door. One of the insane men dashed back and carried her to safety.

Many Ex-Service Men
Asylum apparatus was practically helpless against the quick spread of the flames. Chicago's fire department responded to a general alarm but in the mud of the asylum grounds could not reach places of advantage to fight the blaze.

Many of the patients held at Dunming were ex-service men, some of whom had lost their reason in the roar of shell fire in France.

Lack of provision for these men had forced assignment of those who came to the attention of Chicago police to Dunming, despite crowded conditions there, police officials stated.



Talks Interestingly

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some announcements concerning the district conference at Baltimore-March and the International Ethnic Convention at Toronto, Canada, June next. He said Dean H. Bloom had been appointed on the committee for the Clearfield club and had also been named on the ways and means committee from the district for the Toronto trip and would end the local district special travel through Clearfield en route to the Canadian city, for the benefit of the Rotarians of this section.

Howard Stewart, of the Christmas treat committee, reported on that affair in the absence of Chairman George Zerfoss, his report showing the treat was provided for approximately \$300. The Christmas treat committee was given a hearty thanks for the manner in which they handled that highly successful affair. President Albert announced that the club had secured a noted female violinist and piano accompanist for the evening of March 19th, which would be ladies' night for the club and closed the meeting by stating that a highly interesting program was in the making for next week's meeting.

It's a nervous breakdown in the case of a woman, but in the case of a man it may be a severe attack of cold feet.

Japan's earthquake cost \$18 per capita, which is almost as much as we spend in this country for chewing gum.

Prevents Raindrop Seeds.

To prevent raindrops of water from heading on glass, wipe off the glass with a piece of cloth wet with glycerine. The first few drops remain on the glass and showing a tendency to run, but as the drops increase in number they come into contact with each other and coalesce, forming a smooth, transparent film of water over the entire surface, which is no obstruction to vision.

START THE NEW YEAR
RIGHT BY TRYING SOME
DOT CROCKER CANDIES

Made in a home kitchen, this candy tastes just like your own. Delicious and tasty is the real description. Comes in mixed chocolates, coated nuts, Glace nuts, coated mints and lollypops for kiddies. Fresh shipments arrive every week.

Mrs. GEO. B. REED
Both Phones. Old Town Road.

Worth Too Much
To Throw Away

OFFERED NEW JOB

Roma, Dec. 27. (INS.)—It was reported from Belgrade today that Eleutherios Venizelos, former Premier, has offered the Greek throne to Prince Paul Karageorgiev, husband of Princess Olga, of Greece.

Greek Republicans opposed the return of Venizelos from Paris through fear that he would recall King George to the throne. George and the Greek Queen are now in Roumania.

PRES. OF RHINE PROVINCE
GETS HEAVY SENTENCE

Duesseldorf, Dec. 27. (INS.)—Herr Gruetzing, the expelled President of Rhine Province, today was sentenced to 20 years imprisonment by a French court martial on the charge of resisting Franco-Belgian orders. Minor sentences were imposed upon a number of German police officials. Herr Pohl, a former German submarine commander was among those sentenced.

FIVE FAMILIES HOMELESS
AT COATESVILLE

Coatesville, Pa., Dec. 27. (INS.)—Five families were forced to seek safety clad only in night clothing when fire early today destroyed the Greenwood Apartment House on East Main street near the business section of the city. The loss is estimated at \$75,000.

Two alarms were sent in and firemen battled the flames for three hours.

MEXICAN DEAD IS
FOUR CARLOADS

Vera Cruz, Mexico, Dec. 27. (INS.)—Travelers arriving here today from Santa Lucracia where a violent battle was fought between revolutionaries and federals, reported that four

railway cars of Federal dead were taken to the south of the town and burned.

"STRENGTH" NEEDED
FOR DIVORCE

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 27. (INS.)—The famous "Strength" of the theatre world, the Broadway play, "The Divorcee," is a divorce suit on the part of today in which Mary Newcomb, herself a prominent figure in the theatrical world, charges Robert Edison with non-support. Edison's real name, according to the complaint, is George Edison.

A decade ago he was a machine tool, when he appeared in the Indian drama "The Divorcee" in recent years he has worked in motion pictures. Mary Newcomb, or Mrs. Edison, has played leading roles with Pacific Coast stock companies and appeared lately in New York in "The Woman on the Jury."

The Edison, the divorce complaint specified were married in Newark, N. J., when she alleged he was 31 and she 21.

National issues may come and go, but no party has ever improved on the good old harmony slogan.

We have reached the point where the pessimists have given up hope of an early frost during the season.

It isn't difficult to get a liberal education if you will look up the answers to the questions your children ask.

It is a pleasure to report that as a whole the movies are more intelligent than they were a couple of years ago.

Try a Program Want Ad.

Florida

CUBA-SOUTHERN-RESORTS

Through
Trains Daily 6

Leave Miami on all days:
Every 10 days
Miami to Havana (1st Section) 8:15 a.m.
Havana to Miami (2nd Section) 8:15 p.m.
Miami to Havana (1st Section) 8:15 p.m.
Havana to Miami (2nd Section) 8:15 a.m.
Cuba Line (Miami to Havana) 8:15 a.m.
Miami to Havana (1st Section) 8:15 a.m.
Havana to Miami (2nd Section) 8:15 p.m.

Atlantic Coast Line

The Standard Railroad of the South
Address GEO. F. JAMES, G. P. A.
1416 M St. N. W., Washington, D. C.
Telephone Main 7800

Money Earners, Men and Women

In Business

JOIN OUR

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INCREASING CLUBS

In 50 Weeks for Christmas 1924

1c-Club Pays \$12.75

2c-Club Pays \$25.50

5c-Club Pays \$63.75

You can begin with the largest deposit and DECREASE your deposits if so desired.

EVEN AMOUNT CLUBS

In 50 Weeks for Christmas 1924

10c-Club Pays \$ 5.00

25c-Club Pays \$12.50

50c-Club Pays \$25.00

\$1.00-Club Pays \$ 50.00

\$2.00-Club Pays \$100.00

\$5.00-Club Pays \$250.00

Interest at the rate of 3% will be added if payments are made regularly for fifty weeks.

CLEARFIELD NATIONAL BANK

MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

"The Bank of Personal Service"

Startling Year-End
REDUCTIONS
On Electric LampsEvery Lamp Priced So Low That You
Save a Third to a Half

FLOOR LAMPS

	Regular Price	Sale Price
Silk Shade, Wood Base Lamp	\$28.00	\$16.50
Silk Shade, Metal Base, decorated	64.00	48.00
Silk Shade, Wood Base Lamp	40.00	22.50
Silk Shade, Metal Base Lamp	44.00	27.00
Silk Shade, Mahogany Base Lamp	40.00	21.00
Silk Shade, Metal Base Lamp	70.00	49.50
Metal Reading Lamp	10.00	6.50
Silk Shade, Metal Base Lamp	68.00	48.00
Silk Shade, Wood Base Lamp	30.00	17.50
Silk Shade, Metal Base Bridge Lamp	42.00	28.00
Silk Shade, Wood Base Floor Lamp	40.00	22.50
Silk Shade, Wood Base Floor Lamp	35.00	19.00
Silk Shade, Metal Base, decorated	86.00	65.00
Silk Shade, Wood Base, decorated	40.00	22.50
Silk Shade, Metal Base, decorated	60.00	41.50
Silk Shade, Metal Base, decorated	92.50	71.00
Silk Shade, Metal Base, decorated	80.00	61.00
Silk Shade, Metal Base, decorated	70.00	49.00
Silk Shade, Wood Base, decorated	45.00	28.00
Iron Base Lamp with Silk Shade, shop worn, now	\$10.00	

TABLE LAMPS

	Regular Price	Sale Price
Hand Painted Shade with Metal Base, in colors	\$22.00	\$16.00
Miller Panel Lamp, French Brown and Bronze	20.00	12.50
Black and Gold Table Lamp	50.00	29.50
Green Reading Lamp	25.00	17.00
Panel Lamp, decorated	22.00	15.00
Hand Painted Panel Lamp	40.00	22.00
Hand Painted Panel Lamp	50.00	25.00
Hand Painted Panel Lamp	60.00	32.00
Large assortment of Table Lamps, ranging in price from \$28.00 to \$60.00, at a sacrifice price.		
One-Fourth Off on Silk Shade Boudoir Lamps with Mahogany Bases. Colors Pink, Gold and Blue Shades.		
\$3.25 Boudoir Lamps, Sale Price		\$2.45

These prices do not include lamps.

A FEW BRIDGE LAMPS at \$2.90

These Sensational Prices In Force
Friday and Saturday Only
ELECTRIC SUPPLY CO.

EVERY DAY WILL BE MERRY XMAS IF YOU READ THIS PAGE Here You Find What You Want. Ain't It a Grand Glorious Feelin'?

Classification Index

CLASSIFIED SECTION
The rates for all classified ads in this paper are as follows: For the first week, 10 cents per line; for each subsequent week, 7 cents per line. For long term contracts, special rates will be made. All ads must be paid for in advance. For your convenience we are classifying all advertisements as shown in the table below.

Please do not ask for information where an ad is "keyed blind" unless it says to inquire at this office. We cannot give information about "blinded" ads.

THE CLEARFIELD PROGRESS
P. O. Box 176 Bell 47

(A) PUBLIC NOTICES

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS MEETING
There will be a meeting of the Men's Bible Class of the West Side M. E. Church at the Tabernacle at 7:30. A full attendance is urged.
12/27/1923

5—LOST

Five Dollars (\$5.00) reward will be given to the party reporting to this office the finding of a hardware sample case containing a hardware catalog.
12/26/1923

Lost: 1925 Glass ring between Cherry street and Market. Initials E. G. L. Finder please return to Progress office.
12/26/1923

Lost: Mackinaw belt between High School and Clearfield Hardware or Boyce's corner and Hannah street. Finder please return to Progress office.
12/27/1923

Lost: Lady's wedding ring with initials of T. V. H. Finder please return to Progress office and receive reward.
12/27/1923

Lost: Somewhere in the railroad yard last night a man's new rubber size 8. Finder please return to Progress Office.
12/27/1923

Lost: Two five dollar bills Wednesday afternoon about five o'clock between Dr. Piper's house and O'Brien's Jewelry Store. Finder please leave at Progress Office.
12/27/1923

(B) BUSINESS SERVICE

11—HOTELS, RESTAURANTS

LEONARD HOTEL AND CAFE
American and European Plan. Restaurant open day and night. Try our 60c meals.
P. H. Paschall 218 Reed St. 7/19/1923

THE PALACE HOTEL
American and European Plan. Open Day and Night. 50 Rooms.
F. T. Bird, Prop. Cr. Reed & 3rd St. 7/14/1923

12—TRANSFER-STORAGE

Package Delivery for Stores. Prompt, Efficient Service. Light Hauling.
F. P. SMITH 428 River St. 7/16/1923

WE'RE IN OUR NEW BUILDING
Ready for truck storage and storage of all kinds.
Warehouse phone: H. & C. 224J2, Bell 249. Residence: H. & C. 151J. HOLMES TRANSFER & STORAGE. Corner Merrill and William Sts. 7/9/1923

13—REPAIR SERVICE

ELECTRICAL REPAIRING
House Wiring. Motor Doctoring. Prompt response to all calls.
OWEN COX, 315 Daisy H. & C. 316J 8/29/1923

RICHARD ARRANDE
Registered Plumber. Prompt, Efficient Service. Rendered H. & C. 435L. 18 S. 3rd St. 7/17/1923

Don't throw away that old alarm clock that won't run. Just bring it in to us and have it repaired. C. C. Mignot, over Brown's Boot Shop. 7/10/1923

Furniture repaired and rebuilt, upholstering and cabinetwork. Sewing machines, clocks, organs and washing machines repaired. Pete: G. Smith, Rear Acme Vulcanizing, N. Third street. 7/19/1923

Progress Want Ads bring Results

Hot Chocolates GO GREAT THESE DAYS

Today is about the first real Hot Chocolate day we have had this year and it found us ready for you. We serve Hot Chocolates which will be just the thing for your taster, and you'll enjoy them.

VIRGINIA CHOCOLATE SHOP

Auto Repairing Acetylene Welding
Atlantic Gas Service. Firestone Tires.
H. C. GRAHAM. Woodland Road Beyond East End. 7/13/1923

1—PERSONAL SERVICE

Let us clean your rugs and carpets thoroughly with our latest type machine which combines beating, brushing and the vacuum. Hoffman Upholstery Co., 146 W. Market St. H. & C. 274-W. 7/12/1923

HUNTING EQUIPMENT AT THE ARMY & NAVY SALES CO.
7/19/1923

MARINELLO BEAUTY SHOP
Manicuring. Hairdressing. Scalp Treatments. Facial Massage. Marcell Waving a Specialty.
9 South Second street. 7/11/1923

SULPHUR VAPOR BATH
For Rheumatism, Lumbago, Kidney disorders, Neuritis, High blood pressure, Nervousness, Ekin diseases, Catarrh, etc. H. & C. 555M. 8/13/1923

FRED B. LEAVY
Funeral Director and Embalmer.
H. & C. 83 Bell 85. 113/115 3rd St. Clearfield, Pa. 7/17/1923

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL
T. J. NORRIS. The Clothes Cleaner. Both Phones. 110 Cherry St. 11/27/1923

Cleaning—Pressing. Repairing. We call and deliver.
V. R. BARTHOLOMEW. H. & C. 21-X. 112 Market St. 7/12/1923

Spruce Up See REILLY
The Clothes Cleaner. Reilly Building. Third Street. 7/10/1923

E. C. STEWART
Marble and Granite Monuments.
Phone H. & C. 43-J. 7 N. 44th St. Clearfield. 7/12/1923

R. WM. THOMPSON
Funeral Director and Embalmer.
Both Phones. 17 Locust St. Turnpike Clearfield. 7/12/1923

M. I. GARDNER
Income Tax Consultant. Insurance & Real Estate. Agent Penn Mutual Life Ins. Co. H. & C. 41 W. Clearfield Water Bldg. 7/11/1923

COMPLETE TRANSFER SERVICE
We move you wherever you want to go, long or short haul. We pack your furniture for freight shipment. We have clean, dry storage space for furniture.
KREBS BROS. DRAYAGE & STORAGE CO. 111 Merrill St. Both Phones. 7/11/1923

(C) EMPLOYMENT

21—MALE HELP WANTED

ACTIVE, dependable man to book orders for roses, flowering shrubs, hardy plants, ornamental and fruit trees. Stock that does not replace FREE. Pay weekly. No investment. Territorial Managership available. Northern New York Nurseries, Newark, N. Y. 12/27/1923

22—FEMALE HELP WANTED

Wanted: Girl at once. Apply at Kanoff Boarding House, 216 Reed street, Clearfield. 12/24/1923

Wanted: Girl for general housework; no laundry. Inquire Progress Office. 12/26/1923

Wanted: Two girls at Palace Hotel. 12/27/1923

24—SITUATIONS WANTED

Wanted: Position by young lady doing house work. Call H. & C. 349X4 or call at 524 Clearfield street. 12/24/1923

Wanted: Position as housekeeper by an elderly lady. Clearfield preferred. Inquire of Progress. 12/27/1923

(D) WANTED

Wanted: Band saw and turning. The C. W. Sailer, 317 Park ave. Punxsutawney, Pa. 12/24/1923

(E) RENTALS

43—HOUSES FOR RENT

For Rent: Six room house in East End. Inquire at 208 Clearfield street. 12/27/1923

(F) FOR SALE

51—HOUSEHOLD GOODS

SPECIALS THIS WEEK
\$1.00 Windshield Cleaner 59
Denatured Alcohol 80
Storage Jacks (set of 4) 2.00
Hercules Rim Ties 3.75
WILLIAMS AUTO SALES CO.

\$10,000 worth of stock of household goods must be sold at auction sale. ABE NOVEY. H. & C. 45X3. Across from Penna. Freight Station. 7/13/1923

SEWING MACHINES
We have a few shop worn and slightly used machines, the most of which can be sold on easy monthly payments.
NINEBET SEWING MACHINE CO. Bell 33W. 7/19/1923

For Sale: Kitchen range, double heater, white enamel double bed. Inquire 820 Dorey street. 12/24/1923
XMAS TREE LIGHTS
Latest style Xmas tree lights at special prices of \$2.00 to \$3.00.
HANEY ELECTRIC CO. 112 N. Third Street. 7/11/1923

Special sale of Sellers Cabinets this week.
BENET'S FURNITURE STORE 7/12/1923

54—COAL-KINDLING

COAL FOR SALE
Delivered in large or small quantities. Call H. & C. 98J.
T. P. DUCKETT 11/22/1923

THE GOODWAY COAL CO.
Mines Coal for Burning. Delivers to homes, business and factories.
Daisy St. Clearfield, Pa. H. & C. phone 248J. 8/4/1923

COAL FOR SALE AT MINE
Custom coal. Delivered promptly. Call Dr. Chas. H. & C. 168W. Bell 152B2. 11/14/1923

55—MISC.

THAT WONDERFUL NEW OLDSMOBILE SIX
With Fischer Body. L-Type Motor. The Auto Sensation of 1923-24 season. On Display At ROUTH & SWARTZEL CO. Both Phones. Clearfield, Penna.

For Sale: One modern up-to-date National Cash Register, operating up to 99,999. Can be seen at The Progress. 11/26/1923

New shipment received in silk and wool Merode underwear. Outfit the family in Merode.
LADIES' BAZAAR

FUR COAT FOR SALE
Lady wishes to sell her genuine Hudson Bay seal coat, never worn, for half the original cost. Inquire W. S. Bressler, Wallaceton, Pa. Bell phone 907R13. 12/27/1923

For Sale: A good organ. Inquire Progress. 12/27/1923

BROOMS
House brooms, small scrub brooms, warehouse brooms and raton brooms.
GEO. I. BEERS. H. & C. 15W. 12/20/1923

DRIED CORN. The same brand of high quality we have handled for years, 28c the pound. Hominy a cheap food, pound 5c. Six for 25c.
BEAHNS. Both Phones.

CUT FLOWERS
Hot House Plants and Ferns.
W. A. COLLINS. H. & C. Phone 10/31/1923

We have freshly ground pure corn and oats chop and pure corn chop.
MEYER MILLING CO. 7/10/1923

For Sale or trade on closed car, Nash truck. Good body and tires. All in fine shape. Inquire Progress. 12/26/1923

(G) LIVE STOCK

61—LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For Sale: Young cow, will be fresh the second time or about Jan. 6. See her at 629 Nichols street. 12/27/1923

(H) AUTOMOBILE

71—USED CARS

DODGE Roadster
1-TON FORD DUMP
BUICK SIX TOURING
FORD Roadster
CHANDLER SIX TOURING
Terms if so desired.
WM. H. SEIPLE. 326 E. Market St. Clearfield, Pa. Both Phones. 9/11/1923

One Ford Roadster
Two Ford Trucks
One Ford Sedan
One Chevrolet Touring
Terms.
BIGLER GARAGE. H. & C. 713R2. Bigler, Pa. 7/16/1923

Willis Touring
Ford Touring
Chalmers Touring
Nash Roadster
Buick Touring
PENN MOTOR SALES CO. Bell 199. H. & C. 160J. 7/17/1923

Chandler Sales and Service. Call for Demonstration.
EDWARDS MOTOR TRANSIT CO. H. & C. 7X2. Clearfield, Pa. 7/17/1923

Mitchell Roadster, run 700 miles
Two Oakland Touring Cars
One 35-Overland
One 1917 Reo Touring
Essex Touring 1500 miles.
CLEARFIELD AUTO SUPPLY CO. 7/10/1923

One Ford Touring. 1922 model. Electric starter. In excellent condition.
BOAG & BOAG. 11 South Third Street. 7/16/1923

Oakland Touring 1922
Dodge Roadster 1920
Essex Touring, California top, 1923.
1923 Buick, run 6500 miles.
Here are some bargains from \$150 up.
WEST SIDE GARAGE. H. & C. 284J. 7/11/1923

Used cars in good condition. Ford, Maxwell, Buick, Chevrolet, and Acme touring. Prices are right.
ESTEP BROS. MOTOR CO. East End. 7/13/1923

Chandler Chummy Sedar
Chandler Sport 1923
Ford Touring
EDWARDS-CONFER CO. Auburn and Chandler. Both Phones. Clearfield, Pa. 12/26/1923

1923 Ford Touring
1921 Oakland Roadster
1922 Maxwell Touring
Excellent condition and real bargains.
DERRICK BROS. 3rd St. bet. Locust & Mt. P. H. & C. 7/11/1923

72—SERVICE STATIONS

NON-CHATTER OIL FOR FORDS
Guaranteed to take the chatter out of the Fords.
ACME VULCANIZING COMPANY. N. Third St. Phone 59-31.

THE PERFECT STRUT ROD FOR FORD CARS
Never wear out. Put on while you wait.
WEST FRONT STREET GARAGE. 7/11/1923

We do Auto Electrical repairing of Generators, Ignition Coils, Lighting Systems and battery repairing and recharging.
AMBU ELECTRICAL SHOP. H. & C. 56R. 324 W. 5th Ave. 7/13/1923

WINTER NEEDS FOR YOUR CAR
Alcohol (High Proof) Radiator Covers. Chains. Tires and Tubes. Motometers.
WM. H. SEIPLE. 326 E. Market St. Clearfield, Pa. Both Phones. 11/19/1923

We can do it now and you'll enjoy your new-looking car the more.
CLEARFIELD AUTO PAINT SHOP. Smith & Wosner. H. & C. 159W2. 7/13/1923

Alcohol for your Radiator 80c. Free testing service.
CENTRAL GARAGE. Both Phones. 8/24/1923

73—ACCESSORIES

SERVICE WELDING & REPAIR
H. G. Ogden, Prop. Oxyacetylene welding of frames, castings and auto parts. Bell 461R. 17 W. 3rd St. Rear Park. 7/11/1923

(I) REAL ESTATE

81—HOUSES FOR SALE

For Sale: Five room house with light and bath. Two lots. Inquire William Chislen, 404 Seventh street. East End. 12/16/1923

For Sale: Five room frame house located adjoining Standard Brick Plant at Riverview. Good for man working at American Nickel Co. Also several lots for sale in same neighborhood. Inquire A. L. Snyder, Clearfield, Pa. R. D. 4. 12/26/1923

82—LOTS FOR SALE

For Sale: 1 1/2 acres of ground in Lawrence township on the Legal Road one half mile from state road. Underlaid with coal. L. H. Zumbstein, R. D. 2, Clearfield, Pa. 12/27/1923

83—FARMS FOR SALE

For Sale: The 4x66 bank barn on the Fulton Farm at Bigler. Built of old growth White Pine and in good condition. Will also sell the farm house at a reduced price, as well as building lots on the state road. W. D. Walker and Bro. 12/11/1923

(K) LEGAL NOTICES

101—BIDS WANTED

BIDS WANTED
The Lawrence Township School Board will receive bids for transportation of three school children from Lee Ogden to Mt. Joy school. All bids to be in hand of Secretary by January 5, 1924.
CON W. SPACKMAN, Sec. 12/24/1923

102—MISC. LEGAL

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to The Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the provisions of the Public Service Company Law, by Alex McMullen, Madera, Pa., for a certificate of Public Convenience evidencing the Commission's requisite approval of the beginning of the exercise of the right and privilege of operating motor vehicles as a common carrier for the transportation of persons between Houtzdale and Smoke Run, Clearfield County, Pa.

A public hearing upon this application will be held in the Commission Building, 112 Market Street, Harrisburg, on Thursday, January 10th, at 9:30 a. m. o'clock, when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard, if they so desire.
ALEX. McMULLEN. John B. McGrath, Attorney. December 21, 1923. 12/27/1923

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans Court of Clearfield County, Pa., to dispose of the exceptions filed, and make distribution of the funds in the hands of N. F. Womer the Administrator of the estate of Mike Billis late of Sandy Township, Clearfield County, Penna., deceased, will sit for the discharge of the duties of his appointment at the office of Attorneys Pontz & Pontz in the City of DuBois on Thursday the 17th day of January A. D. 1924 at one o'clock p. m., when and where all parties interested may attend and be heard or be forever debarred from participating in the funds of the said estate.
A. G. KRAMER, Auditor. 12/27/1923

These are not my personal affairs alone but are the concern and vital interest of many others.
"I am engaged in the management of independent oil enterprises whose difficulties are obvious enough without having those difficulties increased by a general ploughing through the private affairs of such enterprises in a public inquiry."
"Come here at your request and because you ask it—not to defend or excuse the making of the lease or any fact or act connected with the lease for no such defense or excuse is demanded by the circumstances."
"I detest the idea of seeming to wish to withhold any fact from any agency of the Government because, first, I try to do all in my power to support my Government; second, because in this case I am in a general venture with the Government which we both hope will be of mutual advantage and lastly, because any impression of a desire not to produce books and papers is very easily misunderstood."
"On the other hand, I am obliged by a sense of obligation to those who are associated with me and whom I represent and by a genuine conviction as to the rights of business privacy to make an earnest protest."

Science has abolished anthrax. The servant-girl shortage has eliminated household's knee. It is a short list as yet, but it will grow.

The trouble with a possible airplane speed of 100 miles an hour is that too many speed bugs apparently are trying to attain it on the ground.

There is a great variety of dogs that all the fanciers cannot expect to have their favorite styles of canine represented at the White House.

Almost any form of government, if it isn't watched carefully, will turn into a Lobotomy.

What are the "thrillers" going to do when people's capacity for thrilling is all worn out?

They say refined dancing is to be the rule next winter. Then the dancing craze will be done for.

Bulgaria is menaced from without and within, to say nothing of submarine and aerial troubles.

Gabriele d'Annunzio is an original genius. He is going to study music before he begins writing it.

Russia is decentralizing in the Urals districts, it having discovered that government cannot be efficiently conducted on the model of the correspondence school.

As soon as the aviators get a little closer to 1,000 miles an hour they can follow the course of the sun around the globe and thus save enormous sums in illumination.

Uncle Sam refuses to allow a California man to start a butterfly farm. It must be a bad precedent. Somebody would start raising grasshoppers for fish bait.

Send in your Red Envelope

ALEX. McMULLEN.
John B. McGrath, Attorney.
December 21, 1923. 12/27/1923

AUDITOR'S NOTICE
The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans Court of Clearfield County, Pa., to dispose of the exceptions filed, and make distribution of the funds in the hands of N. F. Womer the Administrator of the estate of Mike Billis late of Sandy Township, Clearfield County, Penna., deceased, will sit for the discharge of the duties of his appointment at the office of Attorneys Pontz & Pontz in the City of DuBois on Thursday the 17th day of January A. D. 1924 at one o'clock p. m., when and where all parties interested may attend and be heard or be forever debarred from participating in the funds of the said estate.
A. G. KRAMER, Auditor. 12/27/1923

FALL DENIES

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in the stock of that company did not and cannot bear the remotest relation to the procurement of the lease.

"No one share of the stock of Mammoth Company nor the proceeds thereof ever reached or was intended to reach any individual who represented the Government. Not a share of the proceeds or a share of any other company which may have become a share holder of the Mammoth Oil Company reached nor was it intended to reach any individual who represented the Government. Notwithstanding this I am commanded to produce books, records and papers revealing the organization, finances, and administration of any such companies.

"These are not my personal affairs alone but are the concern and vital interest of many others."

"I am engaged in the management of independent oil enterprises whose difficulties are obvious enough without having those difficulties increased by a general ploughing through the private affairs of such enterprises in a public inquiry."

"Come here at your request and because you ask it—not to defend or excuse the making of the lease or any fact or act connected with the lease for no such defense or excuse is demanded by the circumstances."

"I detest the idea of seeming to wish to withhold any fact from any agency of the Government because, first, I try to do all in my power to support my Government; second, because in this case I am in a general venture with the Government which we both hope will be of mutual advantage and lastly, because any impression of a desire not to produce books and papers is very easily misunderstood."

"On the other hand, I am obliged by a sense of obligation to those who are associated with me and whom I represent and by a genuine conviction as to the rights of business privacy to make an earnest protest."

Science has abolished anthrax. The servant-girl shortage has eliminated household's knee. It is a short list as yet, but it will grow.

The trouble with a possible airplane speed of 100 miles an hour is that too many speed bugs apparently are trying to attain it on the ground.

There is a great variety of dogs that all the fanciers cannot expect to have their favorite styles of canine represented at the White House.

Almost any form of government, if it isn't watched carefully, will turn into a Lobotomy.

What are the "thrillers" going to do when people's capacity for thrilling is all worn out?

They say refined dancing is to be the rule next winter. Then the dancing craze will be done for.

Bulgaria is menaced from without and within, to say nothing of submarine and aerial troubles.

Gabriele d'Annunzio is an original genius. He is going to study music before he begins writing it.

Russia is decentralizing in the Urals districts, it having discovered that government cannot be efficiently conducted on the model of the correspondence school.

As soon as the aviators get a little closer to 1,000 miles an hour they can follow the course of the sun around the globe and thus save enormous sums in illumination.

Uncle Sam refuses to allow a California man to start a butterfly farm. It must be a bad precedent. Somebody would start raising grasshoppers for fish bait.

Send in your Red Envelope

Tom Sims SAYS—



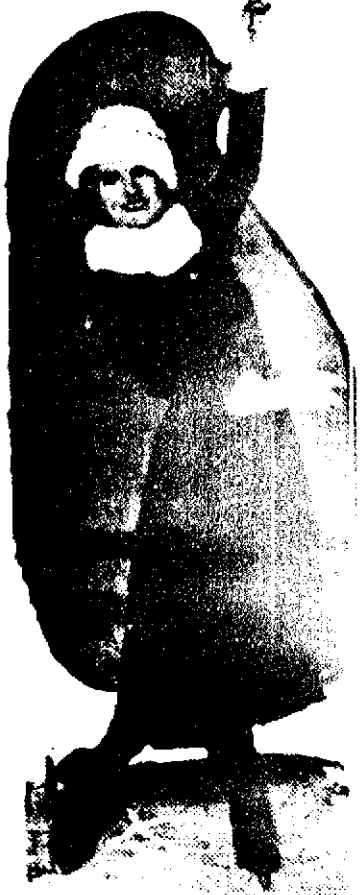


JORDAN'S

JUST YOU AND SHE

come here and enjoy a bit of luncheon, afternoon tea, dinner or after-the-show supper—all alone. A tete-a-tete meal that both of you will heartily appreciate—and you can talk all the sweet things you like while eating sweet things. Try it—today!

Fancy



Miss Beatrice Loughran of New York will go abroad with the Olympic Skating Team to participate in France. She will represent the U. S. in figure skating.

In this peculiar age a cut in the price of gas creates more interest than any other announcement about the economy.

Well, the world can afford to be generous with people willing to add a little to their budget for an earth-shaking earthquake is an earth-shaking event.

And the strong suspicion that all the world is of contention about the list of one politician or another is a strong suspicion that all the world is of contention about the list of one politician or another.

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The woman who used to kindle the cigarette with her finger now has a son who lights a match to see if the gasoline tank is empty.

Utopia is the faded place where the approach of winter brings a lowering of the price of coal.

The price of gas does not make the same speedometer record in different parts of the country.

If a cause is just it will eventually triumph in spite of all the propaganda issued to support it.

The man who most loudly condemns tax dodgers probably has his money in tax-free securities.

Friends may damage crops, but they merely make weeds take a new too-hold.

To offset quitting passive resistance, Germany might try a period of active resistance.

Unless you have been to a fair during a rainy week, you don't know what desolation is.

Many a politician who thinks he is of earthquake size isn't even a common man.

CLARK'S Cold-and-Flu CAPSULES

BREAK UP COLDS

The most stubborn cold will be easily broken up by using Clark's Cold and Flu Capsules. There is no quinine in them but they will do the work in jig time.

STEWART'S DRUG STORE

THE MOUNTAINS

By GRACE E. HALL

GOD loved the mountains best, he very sure;
He kept the tallest, straightest trees to trim
The rugged brown facades, and to secure
Immunity from trespassers within
The cool, deep-shadowed places, inter-laced
Vine mapsles in a network strong and fine;
Then side by side artistically He placed
The multitudinous shrub and clinging vine.

He built the mountains rough and very high,
And laid hewn rocks along the canyon walls;
Upon a green moss carpet soft and dry,
The oreads dance to music of the falls;
The sun's too-anger rays He screened away
With canopies of deeply tinted leaves;
And Zephyrus and Notus gently sway
The tasseled awning in the breeze.

God loved the mountains best. He made no road
In all that vast domain for man to tread;
Here wild free creatures find a safe abode,
And luscious fruit is hanging ripe and red;
The ax-man's blows have cleft and cleaved a way,
And noiseless, shrieking things go hurrying through;
But God forgives, and in the twilight gray
The alien path He dampens down with dew.

But oh, that they might be as He planned—
Untroubled save by those who seek repose!
His thaumaturgy few can understand;
The thallium on the banks where swiftly flows
The nectar of the gods in murmuring streams—
Ah, who in passing notes that it is there?
Yet God is patient, and His sunshine gleams
Across each new-made trail that men prepare.
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The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way says anybody who could be a really good English scholar without a knowledge of Latin and Greek would be a phenomenon.

Too many couples take marriage seriously by getting a divorce.

Justice delayed is not justice, but the guilty generally prefer it.

Both whipping parties and petting parties sound a bit degenerate.

To see the value of baited racing, one must be an expert, or something.

Luckily for reckless motor car drivers, there are fewer trains on Sunday.

Every now and again it looks as if Germany did not win the war after all.

WORKERS ARE SAVING WAGES

Success of the Employee-Ownership Plan of Armour & Co. Proves They Are Thrifty.

If there be any doubt that American industrial workers are saving part of their wages and are eager to invest their savings in the enterprises from which they derive their livelihood, the success of the employee-ownership plan of Armour & Co. largest of the meat packers, should dispel that doubt.

About 40,000 employees of Armour & Co. of the total roster of 100,000 workers, now are stockholders. Within one fortnight recently the employees subscribed for more than 50,000 shares of preferred stock of Armour & Co. of Delaware, the principal subsidiary of the parent corporation.

The plan whereby employees could acquire stock on the partial payment plan was announced on October 24 and was to close November 10. But so prompt was the response that the 50,000 shares that the company had available for sale were subscribed quickly, and the company was forced to withdraw its offer several days ahead of the time set for closing subscriptions.

The individual subscriptions were limited to a maximum of fifteen shares, and employees were given the option of paying cash or buying on a weekly payment plan which ran as low as \$1 a week. Armour & Co. has plants in all sections of the country, but the stock sales failed to indicate that anyone section is behind the others in the matter of individual prosperity. Various employees sought to buy stock for other members of their families; others bought shares for cash and ordered them assigned to children, and even grandchildren, as Christmas presents.

OTHER NEWS OF LABOR

The United States employment service announced an increase of 3.8 per cent in numbers employed as compared with April for the 1,428 firms covered by its survey. The decreases were confined to a limited group of workers and were relatively unimportant.

The French labor ministry is arbitrating the strike of the millinery workers in Paris, which was called after the workers had rejected a compromise offer by the employers of a 15 per cent wage increase. The workers demand the higher wages asked for last spring.

To meet labor shortage and competition created by American dress production in France, French dressmakers are turning to Italy and Belgium for workers. It is reported that a combine of American retailers is planning to own and operate their own dress manufacturing organization in France.

Sheet metal workers now take a position alongside lathers and plasterers in the high salaried class of building mechanics. An acute shortage in the Chicago district has placed sheet metal workers' weekly pay envelopes in the \$125 to \$150 class. Helpers in the trade receive as high as \$65 and \$70 a week. One helper received \$47 at the trade after school hours.

Employees of the Great Northern railway may become stockholders through purchase of preferred capital stock on a partial payment plan announced by President Ralph W. Budd. Employees may purchase up to twenty-five shares each and payment may be made in monthly installments as small as \$3 a share. This twenty-five share contract may be repeated as often as desired. Par value of the stock is \$100, and at present yields a dividend of \$5 annually.

Wage reductions are reported at a few coal mines along the Monongahela river in Pennsylvania near territory where Cleveland interests operate mines. A dispatch from Uniontown, Pa., stated that the wage revision in the nonunion section was not general and that no change in wage scales was contemplated by Connellsville Bituminous operators. A New Lexington (O.) dispatch said the Ohio Coal & Lumber company in the Hocking field had sent notices to men in several villages stating that it was unable to pay when resumption of work would start. Mine shutdowns recently have left 800 miners out of employment. Several manufacturing plants are giving work to miners.

The Michigan public utilities commission issued an order requiring all railroad companies operating in Michigan to equip locomotives and tenders with storm curtains and tank covers in accordance with the 1921 car curtain law. The order prescribes that the roads install additional side curtains to extend back to the leg of the tender, except in the case of locomotives operating south of the Muskegon-Bay City line. Locomotives operating south of the straits need not be equipped with housing over the coal tender. The order requires that roads operating north of the straits July all their cars in accordance with this order by December 1, 1924. South of the straits the roads shall equip 3 per cent by December this year and all by December, 1924.

The Southeastern Railway company informed the United States railroad labor board of voluntary increases granted on its lines. The raises involved 192 skilled trades mechanics, helpers and apprentices and amounted to \$7,800 annually on the Tennessee Central railway; 400 metal craftsmen, carmen, helpers and apprentices of the Norfolk Southern railway, who will get \$23,000 more annually and 110 workers of various trades on the Columbus and Greenville railroad, who will draw \$3,700 more a year.

Gossip For Tonight's Tea Table

Dr. G. B. Yearey is following his advice to his patients and spending a day or two in bed nursing a cold.

Maynard Reed and Latimer Reed are both visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Reed on Old Town Road.

Frederick Ammerman, who attends Trinity College, Mass., is at home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wayne L. Ammerman on Nichols street.

Karl Bird, who is attending the dental school at the University of Pittsburgh, is at home for the holidays.

Miss Jane Hagerty attended a dance at Houtzdale last evening.

Willard Walker, who is studying pharmacy in Philadelphia, is spending the Christmas season at his home. He is accompanied by a friend, Stewart and Willis Hile, both students of the school of pharmacy at Washington, are enjoying their vacation at home.

Miss Mary Urey, a successful teacher in the Pittsburgh school, is visiting her family thro the holidays.

David Fleck, who has been in Easton with the Ingersoll Rand Co., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fleck on Park avenue. David will be transferred to Cleveland the first of the year which will be quite an advancement for him.

Mrs. John Mead, of Warners, N. Y., expects to spend the winter with friends and relatives in Lumber City and with her aunt Mrs. Hoover of Clearfield and Butler Mead's family of Wolf Run. Mrs. Mead was formerly Miss Laura Cupples of Lumber City.

Luther Whitmarsh made a short Xmas visit to his mother and sister Mrs. Earl Huff. He has a nice position in Olean, N. Y.

Walter Kennard is home from Erie, where he is employed by the Penn Public Service Co.

Cecil Nichols, who made such a success in the toy department of the Kurtz store, spent all of yesterday afternoon selecting toys for the little baby girl who has just arrived at Nichols home.

Public opinion may find a way to settle strikes, although as a rule reference to public opinion would prevent a strike in the first place.

While a dictator is a dictator and therefore offensive to popular government he gets things done. And things nearly always need to be done.

Turkey is figuring on becoming a republic perhaps because all stock swindlers seem to prosper best where the government is free—and easy.

There is some ground for feeling that the last thing any college authority is entitled to brag about is the tremendous number of students in the institution.

It begins to look as if Europe will again have to pass the Christmas bonus.

Speaking of efficiency, it would be hard to beat the German output of trouble.



One Eye- or One Arm?

Turned down again! Reason—only one arm. He finds it difficult to get a job because industrial efficiency demands that there be a complete man at every machine. Yet the successful applicant is frequently much less fitted for his work than the one-eyed man, for employment managers are hiring "one-eyed" workers without knowing it. In America there are twenty-five million people who don't realize that they need glasses. Call them "one-eyed," for two eyes which do not see properly may be of no more use than one.

If you are an employer have your employees' eyes examined without delay.

If you are an employee and your employer has not done this have your eyes examined at once.

John W. Cleary
Optical Specialist
Cor. Third and Market Sts.

The hammer was one of the earliest inventions of man, which could indicate that any is not a product of recent centuries.

Speaking of progress, according to report it has been years and years since a married man had to hook his wife up the back.

Dumplings worth \$500 were found in a bakery fire, showing that something besides low-priced wheat enters into the cost of bread.

Old King Tut's tomb is about to have its grand fall opening. Visitors will be asked to check their superstitions at the main entrance.

Getting Up Nights

This is One of Nature's Danger Signals. E. K. Keller Tells Experience. E. K. Keller, New Haven, Conn., says: "For 10 years I have been troubled with kidneys and bladder. I had to get up 5 or 6 times each night. I had taken many kinds of medicine, but Lithiated Buxu (Keller formula) is the only kind that gave me any relief. My bladder is normal and I have only used the remedy for three weeks. If you want further facts, write me."

Lithiated Buxu (Keller formula) acts on the kidneys and bladder like Epsom Salts on the bowels. It cleans them out, relieving the bladder of many abnormal deposits. These tablets must be spaced. The price makes it possible to place in the stomach several drugs on the package. It is not likely you have ever taken anything similar. Try a few tablets for backache, swelling, scanty or high-colored urine, and frequent desire at night.

Be sure to get the Keller formula Lithiated Buxu at all drug stores, or write Keller Laboratory, Middletown, O., or locally at Stewart's Drug Store.

NEW YEAR'S GREETING CARDS

We have some beautiful New Year's Greeting Cards and you'll find them conveying just the sentiment you wish.

If you wish your name printed on some, we can do it on an hour's notice.

Commercial
Printing Company
Third Street.

With The First Snow Comes First Crop Of Chaps

Sure the kiddies are out trying that new sled and they are bound to get the first crop of chaps. We have a chap lotion or a cold cream which will be a boon to mothers in combating this condition.

Aughinnbaugh's
DRUG STORE

Many Odd Lots Of Holiday Goods Reduced To Close Out Quickly

In such a vast stock as we have had for your selection during the Christmas season, there are bound to be some odds and ends left. These we must be rid of at once. We have reduced prices to the point where they will go out quickly and there are many savings to be had.

Come in tomorrow and take advantage of the reductions.

A. W. Leonardson Co.

"FEEDS—FLOUR—LOWER PRICES"

Good for Four Days, Until Jan. 1, 1924.
Dried Beet Pulp (Best Grade) in 100's @ \$2.40

Special prices in ton or half ton lots.
Good Wheat Middlings in 100's @ \$2.00
White Flour Middlings in 100's @ \$2.25
Red Dog Flour in 100's @ \$2.40
Pure Wheat Bran in 100's @ \$2.00
Recleaned White Oats, 80 lb., bag included @ \$1.80

Special prices in 25, 50 or 100 bushel lots.
CONKEY'S Buttermilk Laying Mash in 100's @ \$3.75
CONKEY'S MASH—The ONLY guaranteed egg producing Mash on the market. Satisfaction or your money back.

CONKEY'S Scratch Grains with the Wheat in, \$2.75
CONKEY'S Mash and Scratch, 50 lbs. of each, \$3.40
Oyster Shells or Pearl Grit in 100's @ \$1.25
LARRO DAIRY FEED, Best Dairy Feed sold, in 100's @ \$2.90

Best Spring Wheat Flour, 44c, Paper @ \$1.90
These prices at the Red Flour House, next to the B. R. & P.

USE THE BEST, FORGET THE REST.

"CASH IS WHAT DOES THE BUSINESS."

CLEARFIELD FLOUR & FEED CO.

W. G. SPENCER.

Both Phones.

Everybody Satisfied

Whether you come to this store and make a careful selection or simply "Phone your order" and leave it to our judgment, you will be satisfied.

For we take ourselves mighty seriously in the Grocery and General Dry Goods and Shoe business.

We know that no success was ever had without eternal carefulness—and we are eternally careful of your interests.

That's shown in the fact we specialize in Pure Food Products.

This is a different kind of Store. We would like you to know more about it.

STATE COLLEGE BUTTER, lb 75c
QUALITY BUTTER 65c
ARABIAN BOUQUET COFFEE, lb 55c
AVON CLUB COFFEE per pound 45c
MYSTIC BLEND COFFEE, lb 35c

HONEY, box 35c
JUMBO PEARS 35c
LARGE CALIFORNIA PRUNES, 2-lb box, 40c
PEARL TAPIOCA, lb 15c
RED KIDNEY BEANS, per can 15c
SPLIT PEAS, can 15c
LENTILS, can 20c
GREEN PEAS, can 15c
FIGS, pound 30c
DATES, pound 25c
FILED DATES, lb 50c
MARSHMALLOWS, per pound 55c
HERSHEY CHOCOLATE BUDDS, pound 60c
CLUSTER RAISINS, per pound 45c
FINE MINTS, 1-lb can 45c
MIXED NUTS, lb 30c
BLACK WALNUTS, per pound 15c
HICKORY NUTS, lb, 15c
SMYRNA FIGS, 1-lb can 45c
FLORIDA ORANGES, per dozen 40c
Quart Jar OLIVES 40c
Quart Jar OLIVES, Filled \$1.25

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GENERAL MERCHANDISE